

National Trends in Adolescent Violence Prevention

Why Should You Attend This Conference?

- This conference is a practical, one-day training that will help you develop comprehensive knowledge on adolescent violence, prevention strategies and the effects of media violence on our children.



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Wednesday, March 22, 2006
8:00am—2:00pm

Topsfield Fair Grounds
Coolidge Hall
Topsfield, MA

\$30 Registration Fee



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Conference Speakers



Dr. Elizabeth K. Englander is a

Professor of Psychology at Bridgewater State College, and the

Director of the Massachusetts Aggression Reduction Center (MARC), a coalition of experts in childhood aggression and violence whose mission is to bring assistance, at no or low cost, to K-12 schools in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

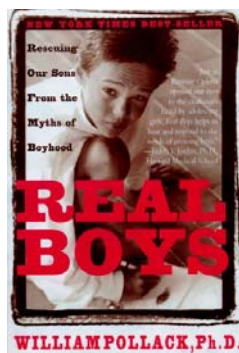
She is the author of more than 20 articles and the book *Understanding Violence*, now out in the second edition (2002, Lawrence Erlbaum Publishers, Inc.).



Dr. Michael Rich, Director, Center on Media and Child Health (CMCH), Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Harvard Medical School and Assistant Professor of Society, Human Development and Health at Harvard School of Public Health, came to medicine after a twelve-year career as a filmmaker.

The mission of the Center on Media and Child Health is to conduct and advance scientific research on the effects of media on young minds and bodies, develop and evaluate necessary clinical interventions, and educate children, parents, and the public on media and their effects on the physical, mental, and social health of all children

Conference Speakers Cont'd...



Dr. William Pollack

is Director of the Center for Men and Young Men at McLean's Hospital in Belmont, MA; and is Assistant Clinical Professor (Psychology) in the Department of Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School. His New

York Times bestseller, *Real Boys--Rescuing Our Sons From The Myths Of Boyhood* [Random House, 1998/ paperback Holt/Owl, 1999] is based upon his groundbreaking research project--*Listening to Boys' Voices*--on the inner emotional experiences of boys and has already had profound impact upon how we raise, teach and relate to our boys.

Dr. Pollack has served on the U.S. Presidential initiative, The National Campaign Against Youth Violence and is a consultant to The United States Secret Service, including its collaborative Safe Schools Initiative with the U.S. Department of Education.

Dr. Pollack is an expert in the areas of: boy's development/education and men's roles (including violence, suicide and depression), school safety (including bullying prevention).

PDP's and CEU's will be available at the close of the conference.

Registration Information

A \$30.00 registration fee will include continental breakfast and lunch.

For further information, please contact District Attorney Jonathan Blodgett's Office: Ruth Budelmann, Stephanie Scalese or Kate Keyes at (978) 745-6610.

The registration deadline is March 8th, however, space is limited and the conference could fill up sooner.

Registration confirmation and directions will be forwarded upon receipt.

Number Attending: _____

Name(s): _____

Organization: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

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